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ELKINS FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

"There is a strong suggestion of sense justice and policy in the recent somewhat authoritative projection of Hon. Stephen B. Elkins, of West Virginia, for the Vice Presidency," says the Cincinnati Enquirer, and it discusses the possibility of the project with reason and astuteness in an editorial which will be read with great interest by all Republicans and especially West Virginia Republicans. Continuing the Enquirer says:

"The Enquirer is conscious of the partisan handicap which attaches itself in this instance, but trusts it has enough character for independence to entitle it to discuss men and measure in the abstract. Mr. Elkins is a strong, steady, going Republican, with the quality of loyalty highly developed, but not with the blind obedience to party belief that makes a mere follower. He is rugged and consistent in his opinions, and has unwavering courage—just the sort of man to stimulate his party when it is right, and to take it by the collar and make it 'stand about' when it gets weak or foolish. The Republicans would be fortunate indeed to have Mr. Elkins in the second place on their Presidential ticket—perhaps still more fortunate to have him for first place; but his geographical position does not, at this moment, advance him to the front line. What an emergency in the convention might bring about is another matter. For the present the seeming well settled purpose of the Republicans as to the choice for President places a limit on the ambitions vista of the Senator from West Virginia.

"It is only for the sake of completeness and sympathy in a personal article that it is to be said that Mr. Elkins is a man of great ability. He is known. Men of ordinary qualification and attainment may sprout suddenly in public affairs winning through luck or accidental circumstances; but their careers are usually brief, and memory of them fleeting. Mr. Elkins has stood a long test. He knows the country from Wall street to the arid plains and the bottoms of the deep mines of the West. He was born in Ohio, educated in Missouri; was a member of the Territorial Legislature of Arizona, Territorial Attorney, Attorney General and United States District Attorney and Delegate to Congress two terms. He was Secretary of War in the Harrison administration, and is now in his second term as Senator of the United States from West Virginia. He is one of the most thoroughly equipped men, in or out of office, for the practical affairs of government. He does not lavish much time on abstract theories, but thinks at a mark, so to speak, and almost invariably hits it.

"So much for the public life of the West Virginian.

"He is still more of a figure as a man of affairs. He has a genius for business and development on a large scale. He is aggressive and unflinching in enterprise that are of great moment to the general public as well as to himself. In making up a roll of the men who have so wonderfully brought the hidden wealth of West Virginia to the surface in the last decade, the name of Elkins would have to stand near the top line. He is an authority and a power in the business world. He would be an ideal business man's candidate. He would be no less commanding politically. He hails from a state that has come to be in the doubtful column. Such men as Elkins have

been instrumental in detaching it from the "Solid South," at least part of the time. It has certainly slipped the knot long enough to send Elkins to the Senate twice. It will take live Republicans to keep the state from sliding back to the Democracy. He is probably the "livest" Republican in West Virginia to-day, and is a magnet for enthusiasm in other states where the campaign is not going to be in the nature of a weekly prayer meeting.

COLUMBIA REASONABLE.

General Reyes, the special emissary of the government of Columbia, just before sailing from New York, made a proposition to the United States in regard to the adjudication of the issues between his government and the United States that our own country can not afford to ignore. He declared the willingness of the government of Columbia to submit the questions at issue to three or more justices of the Supreme Court of the United States as a board of arbitration. While it is usually the case to submit such matters for settlement to an arbitrary board made up of representatives of both the governments concerned at the Hague peace tribunal, the proposition made by General Reyes is indeed to be considered as evidence of fairness, honesty and sincerity on the part of the Columbian government. If there has been the slightest wrong done to Columbia in the Panamanian matter the United States government will listen in all fairness and with all reason to the explanation of the injury and if it is decided that Columbia is entitled to reparation the United States will hasten to adjust matters satisfactorily. But if there has been anything wrong or unfair in any of the transactions in which the Columbian government has been connected it has failed so far to come to light.

The city of Baltimore covered an area of 3 1/2 square miles. Its assessed valuation at the time of the big fire was \$487,718,146. About one square mile burned, the loss was given out as \$300,000,000, and now one newspaper wants to know whether it was the assessor or the insurance man the Baltimoreans stung.

Japan is at the bat and has knocked one home run with the bases left full. Russia gets a turn at the bat however, and the game is young.

A war in the far east will probably be a little better than the normal run of massacres.

Elkins for the Vice Presidency sounds all right, but what's the matter with having him for President in 1909?

"And the dawn rose up like thunder out from China 'erost the bay."

The New York papers are sending out editions in an endless string.

THE CLUB CONCERT AT GRAFTON

The concert of the Women's Musical Club and the Y. M. C. A. Glee Club of Grafton, will come off next Friday night as announced in our advertising columns. The sale of seats is progressing rapidly at Loez Bros. jewelry store, of Grafton, and any of our people who are going down from Clarksburg for the evening should secure their sittings without delay. The indications are that the concert will be one of the most successful affairs, both artistically and financially, that our neighboring city has ever indulged in. As the concert does not begin until 8:30 our people can get down in good time for the opening, and can return at midnight.

PRETTY SAFE RULE TO GO BY.

When there is a feeling that the heart or lungs, blood or liver, brain or nerve are diseased, at once commence to doctor the stomach. That is the foundation of the trouble in 90 cases out of every 100. Commence to regulate the digestive organs, get them in healthy working condition, and the other troubles will leave of themselves. Diseases which have their beginning in the stomach must be cured through the stomach. The medicine for stomach disorders and half the ills of life, is Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills. They are sold by all druggists for 25c per box. One pill is a dose. These pills put all the digestive organs in good condition so that disease has no basis to work upon. Sold by Stone & Mercer.

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M. D. Stuart is buying and selling horses at his large barn on Traders alley in the rear of the Central Presbyterian church, where the Clarksburg transfer was formerly located. He aims to have some horses on hand all the time and will take a few boarders at the barn.

Sweet Melody Flour.

COME OVER.
And enjoy yourself at Prof. Nott's advanced class soiree Friday night, Feb. 5. The soires are high-class patronized and attended by the best young people. The orchestra is a top liner. Everything is all you could ask. Feb. 4, 11.

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Trustee's Sale

By virtue of the authority vested in me by a certain deed of trust bearing date on the 30th day of November, 1903, executed by Jesse W. Collins and Catherine E. Collins, his wife to me as trustee, I will on SATURDAY, FEB. 13, 1904, at 1 P. M., Sell to the highest and best bidder the following described property: Three certain lots or parcels of land situate in the James H. Mines addition to the town of Adamston, and known as lots Nos. 4, 5 and 6, as shown on a plat of said addition which plat is on record in the office of the clerk of the county court of Harrison County, West Virginia, in Deed Book 134, page 41, being the same lots or parcels of land which were conveyed to the said Jesse W. Collins by James H. Mines by two certain deeds one of which is of record in said office in Deed Book 134, page 285, and the other is of record in said office in Deed Book 129, page 38, to which deeds reference is here made for a more complete description of said property.

Said property is located near the line of the Fairmont & Clarksburg Traction Company, and is very desirable for residence purposes. Any one desiring to purchase said property will be shown the same at any time by calling upon George C. Southern, at Adamston, West Virginia.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of purchase price cash in hand on day of sale and the residue in two equal payments of six and twelve months, the purchaser or purchasers to give notes with good security for the deferred payments and as further security a vendor's lien will be retained.

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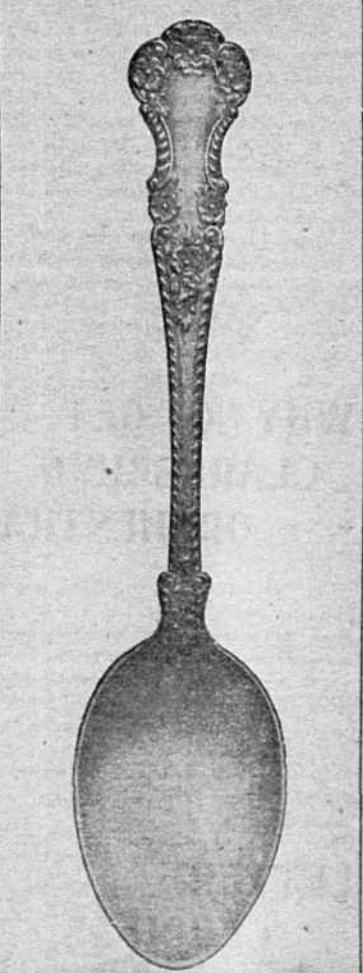
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